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One of Louis Napoleon's Blunders.

The death of M. Drouyn de Lhuys, reported by cable a few days ago, recalls an incident in the career of that statesman, who, though he was so impressed with the justice of the Monroe doctrine as expounded by Mr. Seward that he counseled the withdrawal of the French army from the support of Maximilian in Mexico, was astute enough to see how Bismarck's designs to form the German Empire could have been frustrated. Every one knows how in 1865 Louis Napoleon, out of sentiment or some other motive in explainable to his ministers, appeared to think more of the entrenchment of Venice than he did of the importance of France in European affairs. Bismarck, after those famous interviews at Biarritz, in October, 1865, when Napoleon would pinch Metzmere's arm and whisper, "He is crazy," clearly saw what was to Napoleon's mind as to Italy. Bismarck at once set himself to pick a quarrel with Austria and beat her before the French were awake to the situation, knowing full well that the French thought that the Austrian veterans would easily defeat the untried troops of Prussia. Napoleon unconsciously rendered himself inoperative during the preliminary period, when he had so much to do to force Austria into the war and to make King William and the people take kindly to the idea of fighting. In his speech at Auxerre, May 6, 1866, the Emperor declared his determination of the terms of 1815 and though he proposed a congress a few days later, Gortschakoff, "Russia's happy pharisee," by the discovery that such a conference would lead to nothing practical with the reservations Austria wished to bring to it. On the 11th of June Napoleon wrote M. Drouyn de Lhuys that singular letter, in which he declared that the "geographical position of Prussia is badly defined," and suggested a stronger and more homogeneous Prussia in the North to balance Russia, a Catholic Austria maintaining its great position in Germany and obtaining Silesia in exchange for Venetia, given to Italy in fact in which he proposed to please everybody and establish the ascendancy of France by moral force only and without demanding any material advantages. Every one knows how Bismarck went into the war to break the "capriciousness of the all-powerful G. d." To the consciousness that he might meet a second O'munz and "resolved to return to Berlin via Vienna or Munich, or else to charge with the last squadron which will not return at all." He had his grounds for opinion, for the war was not popular with the public or the army, but four days later Bismarck had been won, and Napoleon was angry at this crisis, however, M. Drouyn de Lhuys saw clearly what could be done. On the morning of the 4th of July he warned the Emperor that the consequences might be fatal to France, and that the Corps Legislatif should at once be summoned, an army of observation of 80,000 men (which Marshal Randon was ready to hurry forward) be collected on the Rhine, and M. Bismarck be advised that France must cross it if Prussia's terms were such as to threaten the equilibrium of Europe. The Emperor fell to the suggestions, and the terms of the Moniteur were kept open all night awaiting the imperial edict, but after M. Drouyn de Lhuys had left him the Emperor was visited by M. de Visselle and M. Rouher, who induced him to change his mind and refuse to enter upon any role except that of a pacific mediator. M. Rouher's argument, which proved effective, was that after the collapse of the Mexican expedition France could not depend upon her army, though the late Duke of Gramont, then Minister to Vienna, wrote urgently, "Prussia is victorious, but exhausted. Between the Rhine and Berlin there are not 100,000 men. You can rule this situation by a simple military demonstration, and this in all security, for Prussia is incapable of war of exterior on a war with France. Do not offer more than she asks." For years later Bismarck said: "In 1866 Napoleon had not the courage to take what in his position he was entitled to take. He might have—at the time he should have—had half of what was the subject-matter of the Benedict proposal (Bismarck) and he did provisionally as a guarantee for what might happen. We could not have prevented him. But he was not a Tiepolo." And in his Royal speech of 1874 Bismarck said that with a small body of troops on the Rhine France could have made Prussia abandon Austria and leave Berlin as a prime nec sity.—N. Y. World.

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Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At Macaulay's Theatre, in the city of Louisville, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1881.

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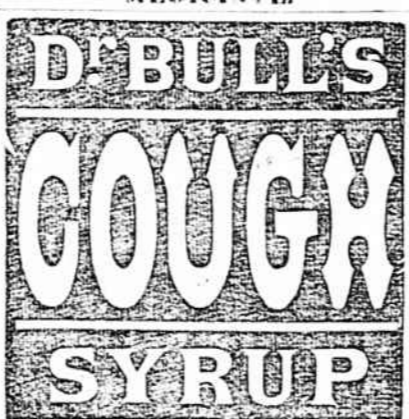
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